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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Tomohiro Yamaguchi et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 10/662,443)	Examiner: QUANG N VO
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING)	
APPARATUS AND IMAGE)	
PROCESSING METHOD)	
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2009, the period for response to which having been extended by three months to August 13, 2009, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.